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23 April 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Conversation with Secretary of Defense,
22 April 1980 []

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3. He expressed concern over the draft directive on competitive analyses. He mentioned his SIGINT responsibilities. I indicated I did not see NSA as being a player in competitive analyses. What analysis NSA does is for their own internal use. I would not task them to do a competitive analysis. What he was suggesting was that there be an NFIB review of this directive. My recollection is that I cleared it in the rough and that it was going to the NFIB, but I'm not positive of that. We ought to snoop around and find out what is behind the Secretary's people putting him up to raising this one--what turf issue have they got in mind? This ties in with [] memo I just saw. Have [] look at this whole problem re DCI authorities on dissemination issue.

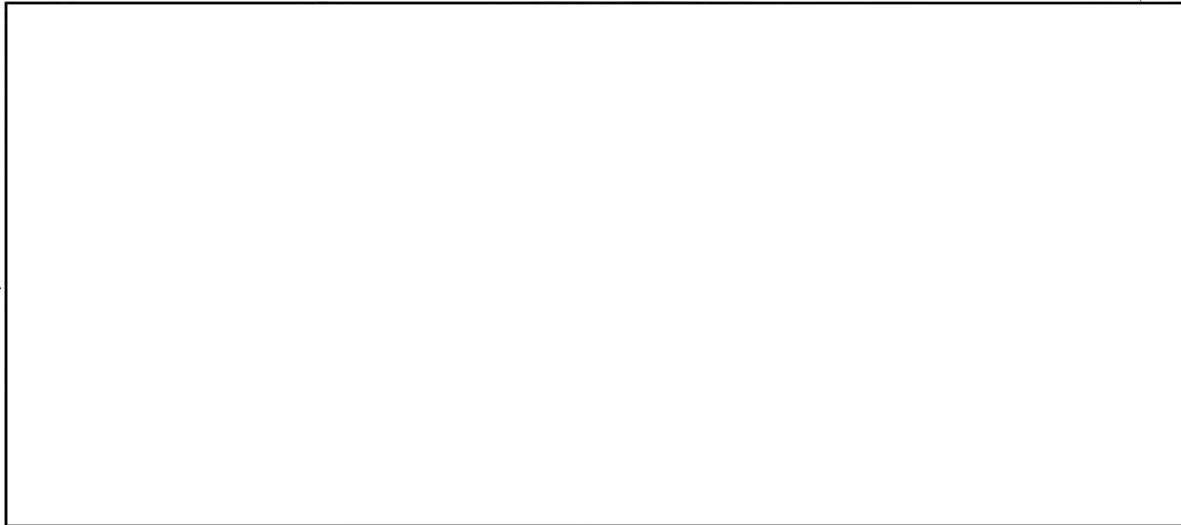
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5. He asked about the status of the NFIP in Congress for '81. I need an update--I really didn't have many facts at my disposal here. He felt [] was safely through the Senate and wondered how it was doing in the House. I said my only concern with the budget at this point was to be sure [] stayed in and I thought it was doing well at the present time. []

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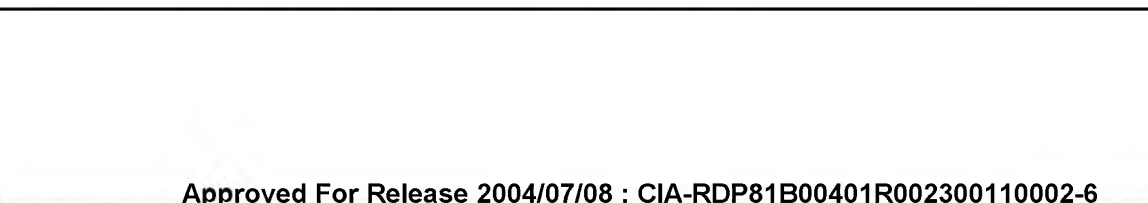


8. We discussed the subject of charters. I described my meeting with Senator Huddleston. I pointed out the problem that is looming over the horizon as to whether the mini-charter does or does not include the entity charters. I mentioned my concern that NSA was lobbying this issue totally independently and might thereby diminish our chances of getting any charter. []

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9. We had a separate discussion on Iran. []

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10. We had a good discussion on

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General Items

● Iran

- Testimony

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● SecDef's mid-May trip to Egypt and Oman

- Any feedback

● Re item SecDef raised last time (OGC item)

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- OGC working with DoD General Counsel to come up with MOU (on track)

● In separate notebook is

Concept"

not covered.

- This has been updated

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- Per a book on this is being prepared for Brown for discussion with you.

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